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Let Us Remember: Prayer Cards and Photos Displayed in the De La Salle Chapel on All Souls Day

The Philosophy Department
presents

David George

La Salle University

*Shifting Values:
The Declining Interest in
Justice, Fairness, and Equality*

Thursday, November 19, 2009
Dunleavy Room
12:30 – 2:00 p.m.

Light refreshments served

General News

TO: La Salle Community
FROM: Arthur Grover
Director of Security and Safety
SUBJ: Driver Safety Awareness Program
DATE: November 6, 2009

The Driver Safety Awareness Training will be given during this Fall Semester on the following date and time:

Thursday, November 12, 2009 from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

The program will be presented in Olney Hall, Room 100.

University policy requires that the operator of any University vehicle possess a La Salle University Operator's Permit. Policy also requires that operators previously certified need to renew their permit every three years. Consequently, new employees and students wishing to operate University vehicles and those employees and students that have been previously certified but whose permit is set to expire, are invited to attend the above referenced sessions. Additional sessions will be scheduled throughout the year on dates that are not yet determined.

MC Jam, the Music Society, and Music Students
present

Two Music Competitions

The Rock 'n Rap Show

Thursday, Nov. 12, 12:30 p.m. Backstage

Protest Rock Concert

Tuesday, Nov 17, 12:30 p.m. Backstage

ERIKA DE VRIES: YOUR MOTHER IS IN THE BASEMENT

OCTOBER 1 - DECEMBER 11 2009

SPECIAL EXHIBITIONS GALLERY
LOWER LEVEL, OLNEY HALL



DYEING WORKSHOP

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11 2009

12:30 P.M.

HOLROYD 3RD FLOOR
CHEMISTRY LAB

EXPLORER CAFE

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11 2009

3:00 P.M.

HOLROYD ATRIUM

ARTIST TALK

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12 2009

12:30 P.M.

ART MUSEUM
RENAISSANCE ROOM



1900 West Olney Avenue Philadelphia PA 19141
HOURS: MONDAY-FRIDAY 10 A.M. - 4 P.M. (MOST) SUNDAYS 2 P.M. - 4 P.M.
215.951.1221 WWW.LASALLE.EDU/MUSEUM

Featured Photos



Trick or Treat-ers from Building Blocks



Pumpkins decorated by Advancement staff



The Diplomat-In Residence Program "Advocating for the World's Children" with Human Rights Watch's Deputy Director Zama Coursen-Neff



REQUEST FOR MILESTONES

(news about yourself, your children, or grandchildren:
births/adoptions, graduations, marriages, and personal honors or awards)

PLEASE SUBMIT THEM along with the **date** of the event or distinction, your **name**,
department, and **campus extension** to lehr@lasalle.edu or **CAMPUS NEWS, BOX 187**.

The next listing of MILESTONES will appear in the **November 20** issue of *Campus News*.

It's not too late to sign up!



American Red Cross

La Salle University

2009 Fall Blood Drive

November 10 & 11

9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Union Ballroom

To set up an appointment online please log on to

<http://www.membersforlife.org/pennj/schedule/login.php?sponsorcode=4085>

You can also call the Student Counseling Center at 215.951.1355, or look for sign-up tables in the Union, B & G, and Treetops.

Sponsored by the Health Advisory Committee

Make Quotations and Paraphrases Work for Your Papers, Not Against Them



**A Workshop
of Strategies and Tips**

**12:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 12
College Hall 206**

Sponsored by the Sheekey Writing Center

For more information, contact Dr. Mary Robertson, (robertso@lasalle.edu or 215.951.1299)

General News

To: Faculty, Staff and Administration

From: Community Development

Re: Resident and Community Assistant Selection

The Fall 2009 semester is quickly winding down. For Community Development, this means the start of recruiting efforts for the 2010-2011 Resident and Community Assistant Staff. In our preparations, we are seeking your assistance.

In your position, you come in contact with students who have the potential to become tomorrow's student leaders. Through **RA and CA positions**, we offer an opportunity, which will allow those students to develop that potential. A **Resident Assistant** is a paraprofessional staff member of the Division of Student Affairs. It is the responsibility of the **RA** to supplement and complement the process of formal education by enhancing the quality of life in the residential facilities. Therefore, we are seeking individuals who demonstrate initiative, dependability, and a positive attitude. Ideal candidates are also students who embrace the ideals of community living and have shown the ability to empower others. The positions in our upper-class apartment and townhouse facilities are called **Community Assistants**. While many of the same characteristics apply for both **CA and RA** applicants, for **CAs** we are especially looking for current sophomores or juniors who show the unique balance of being able to relate to and motivate their peers while serving as a positive role model who can hold their peers accountable for their actions.

We would like you to use the form below to recommend possible RA and CA candidates. Please write the names and addresses of these students and return it to **Community Development, Union 303, Box 819 or e-mail your nominations to moranc@lasalle.edu by Wednesday, November 20, 2009**. These nominated students will be given information about the RA and CA positions and application process.

Thank you in advance for your prompt attention to this matter. Your time and energy will benefit us all! If you have any questions about the process or either of the positions, please feel free to contact Christina Moran, Resident Coordinator at 215-951-5160 or Extension 5160.

Candidates Name	Address	Phone
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		

Nominators Name: _____

Department: _____

Phone: _____

Hands-on Fabric Dyeing Workshop (Natural Dyes) Led by Erika deVries

Come to a special **dyeing** workshop with artist *Erika de Vries* to learn the **science** behind what you wear.

***WED., NOVEMBER 11, 12:30 p.m.
Holroyd 311***

Conduct your own **dyeing experiment**—your very own **work of art**. See firsthand the unique **chemical reactions** between **dyes and fabrics** that produce the



Erika deVries is a Brooklyn-based artist and professor at NYU who has exhibited her work in national and international venues. A performance, photo and video based artist, deVries' latest work is a multi-media installation entitled "Your Mother Is In The Basement" (on view in La Salle's Art Museum until Dec. 11, 2009).

Join us after the workshop for a special *Explorer Café*—*"Stories from Underground"*-- featuring Erika deVries (3pm, Holroyd Atrium).

Brought to you by *The Explorer Connection's Celebration of Science* initiative in collaboration with the *La Salle Art Museum*.



THE EXPLORER CONNECTION

Celebration of Science

A year-long event celebrating connections and creativity

General News

13 de octubre de 2009 - 13 octobre 2009 - 13 ottobre 2009 - October 13th, 2009



Tugon Lasalyano

Typhoon Ondoy Relief Operations Advisory

*For more information,
www.lasallian.ph*

The Lasallian Justice & Peace Commission would like to invite all Lasallians and concerned citizens to help in the relief operations being conducted by our schools. Please find below the list of schools where you can donate and volunteer, as well as the area of coverage. Let us organize and consolidate our efforts as one Lasallian Family.

www.lasalle.org

La Salle University
Responding to the World Wide Lasallian Community



The De La Salle Christian Brothers have a long and rich tradition in the Philippines. The connection between La Salle University and the Philippines is lived out in the work and ministry of Brothers like Joe Schieter and Robert Schieler, (a member of our board), as well as in the shared memories of Brothers Marty Simpson and Bill Garvey..

Several weeks ago Typhoon Ondoy (international codename: Ketsana), dumped a record 40 centimeters of rain in Metro Manila and surrounding areas and unleashed floods as high as six meters. According to the papers, about 2 million people have been affected. The government has declared a state of emergency in Metro Manila and surrounding areas

Many of the individuals who have been affected are Lasallian Students or the families of our students. Several Lasallian schools are conducting relief operations, coordinating with government and non government organizations for the distribution of goods.

Students will be coordinating a La Salle University response to this tragedy through the various members of the POINT.

Faculty and staff members who would like to contribute to this effort on behalf of our colleagues in the Philippines can send donations to the UMAS office in College Hall.

All the funds that are raised will be sent directly to the Provincial Offices in the Philippines for distribution to our schools as needed.

Missing a chance to practice your Spanish?

Venga a uno de los dos grupos de El café “en español” que se reúnen cada dos semanas, para charlar de noticias, escuchar la conversación...o cantar música en español!

Próximas reuniones:

Viernes 6 y 20 de noviembre, a las 4:00, en Olney 228

Miércoles 11 de noviembre y 2 de diciembre, a la 1:00, en Olney 214

You may bring your lunch... Snacks will be served.

Any questions or suggestions? E-mail Prof. Mercedes Gracia at gracia@lasalle.edu

Announcing



Training workshops on Preventing and Responding to Sexual Harassment

How To Identify and Prevent Sexual Harassment. Sessions will be held on the following dates:

November 10, 2009 from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Union Bldg. Room 310

November 18, 2009, from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. in the Union Bldg., Room 310

In this workshop you will learn:

- What is and what isn't sexual harassment.
- How to prevent sexual harassment from occurring.
- What your responsibility is if you suspect sexual harassment has occurred.
- The process and procedure on how to report sexual harassment in the
- La Salle University Community

These topics will be presented by the following methods:

- Video tape modeling
- Lecture
- Discussion
- Case Studies

The presenter will be Paul Roden, Training Manager, Human Resources. Please register via e-mail to Paul Roden Training Manager, at roden@lasalle.edu or call extension 3607.



On the Menu for November 11:

STORIES FROM UNDERGROUND

*Think.
Drink.
Connect.*



What: *Explorer Café* featuring guest artist **Erika deVries, M.F.A., Tisch School of the Arts, NYU**

When: Wednesday, Nov. 11, at 3:00 p.m.-?

Where: Holroyd Hall's 1st floor atrium
(FREE FOOD and GREAT COMPANY!)

Join Erika deVries for an informal discussion and storytelling session inspired by memories from, and cultural references to, the basement. Bring your own basement stories, thoughts, memories, and/or photographs to share.



Explorer Cafés are open to the entire La Salle community. Join the conversation!

Explorer Café is brought to you by The Explorer Connection initiatives-- the Essential Question and Celebration of Science.

Questions or comments? Contact Julianna Gwiszcz at gwiszczj1@lasalle.edu.



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JUST A REMINDER!

HUMAN RESOURCES IS PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE INDIVIDUAL COUNSELING SESSIONS WITH TIAA-CREF.

TIAA-CREF will be offering Individual Counseling Sessions on

- *Tuesday, November 17, 2009 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.*
- *Tuesday, December 15, 2009 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.*

All sessions will be held in Room 308 of the Union Building.

*At these sessions, you can discuss your personal retirement options with a
TIAA-CREF consultant on a confidential basis.*

Sign Up Today:

***To schedule a counseling session,
please visit tiaa-cref.org/moc or call 800.842.2010.***

Meeting Minutes

Health Advisory Committee

October 28, 2009

Present: Co-Chairs: Lane Neubauer & Dina Oleksiak; Members: Steve Andrilli, Mark Badstubner, Jim Behr, Br. John Crawford, Matt Gionta, Karen Kostelny, Vanessa Ocasio, Mary Wilby

Absent: Jeff Lyons, Greg O'Shea

I. Blood Drive – Nov. 10 and 11

- a. Recruiting for potential donors will start the week of Nov. 3. There will be 26 recruitment shifts. The following student organizations have volunteered to staff the recruiting tables: Phi Beta Sigma, ATA, FIJI, Gamma Sig, DPhiE, Gamma Phi, AST, AXP, Peer Educators, SGA, RSA, AASL & SNAP. In addition, the Health Advisory Committee will staff a recruiting table outside the Faculty Dining Room.
- b. Alpha Epsilon Delta honor society will provide student volunteers for the afternoon shifts at the Blood Drive. ARC will provide their own volunteers for the morning shift.

II. Health Tip of the Month – November

- a. The November health tip will center on campus health resources.
- b. SNAP will be approached again to partner with HAC in producing the poster for November's health tip.

III. Progress on addressing Smoking on La Salle's campus

- a. Food Services has identified designated smoking areas where Food Services workers are permitted to smoke thus limiting where smoking is permitted.
- b. Security and Safety sent out a policy notification to its officers that smoking is prohibited in any university-owned vehicle and buildings. They are currently working on identifying specific 'designating smoking areas' that would be 20 feet away from buildings to limit second hand smoke in public areas.
- c. Athletics has come up with its own smoking policy for its facilities.
 - i. All outdoor (i.e. DeVincent, McCarthey, West Campus Softball) and indoor facilities are smoke-free.
 1. Currently, smokers must go outside of the stadium to smoke.
 - ii. Limited areas outside of Hayman are being designated where smoking will be permitted.
 1. Outside west entrance of building (employee entrance).
 2. Set-back from entrance way, towards steps on side of building.
 3. Currently, ashtrays in these locations.
 - iii. Additional actions that Athletics is taking are the following.
 1. Creating signage to direct smokers to the designated smoking areas (signs will be placed in the Gola lobby, stairwells, mezzanine, and third floor) and signs placed that identify the designated smoking areas.
 2. Staff ONE (Athletics' security staff) will be instructed to enforce smoking policy at events.
 3. La Salle staff will help enforce during non-event times.
- d. It was suggested that the Health Advisory committee members who represent organizations and departments elicit the smokers in their organizations' help in identifying appropriate "designated smoking areas" keeping in mind that these need to be 25 feet from buildings; Mark Badstubner will approach RSA, Vanessa Ocasio will approach SGA, and Jim Behr will talk with Physical Facilities.
- e. The American College Health Associations recent 'Position Statement on Tobacco on College and University Campuses' was reviewed to identify what areas to focus on to move this issue further. It should be noted that ACHA's position is for all campuses to become smoke-free. However, the HAC is looking to identify designated smoking areas to limit the negative impact of secondhand smoke but allow smokers some options on campus if they choose to smoke.

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Meeting Minutes

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- i. More options for smokers who would like to quit need to be available (i.e. smoking cessation groups).
- ii. Health Advisory Committee will try to identify ways to increase these options.

IV. Swine Flu Update

- a. There are currently 19 active probable cases of Swine Flu at La Salle, bringing the total number of cases to date to 109.
- b. A self-reporting form is available on the portal which triggers notification to Administrative Services (for arranging for room cleaning) and Assistant Deans (for notifying faculty members).
- c. The H1N1 vaccination still has not been delivered; as a result, the first round of potential dates reserved to offer this to the La Salle community had to be cancelled. Since no word has been received as to when delivery will arrive, no information can be given to the La Salle community about when this will occur.
- d. The Swine Flu committee continues to meet weekly.

V. Healthy Objectives 2010 – Fitness and Nutrition

- a. The Health Advisory Committee will continue to focus on these health issues.
- b. Potential partners on these issues include LEAN (Nutrition Department), Fresh Grocer, and Campus Recreation and Food Services.
- c. Planning has already begun for a program addressing “healthy eating vs. disordered eating” to occur in the Spring in support of National Eating Disorder Awareness Week.

VI. Health Fair – April 22

- a. The HAC will begin to plan for this at next meeting.
- b. Committee members were encouraged to think of creative names and new focuses for this year’s Health Fair.

VII. Next Meeting scheduled for December 2, 2009 – 9 a.m. McShain Hall Seminar Room.

Respectfully submitted by
Lane B. Neubauer Ph.D.

Meeting Minutes**Faculty Senate Meeting****October 6, 2009**

Attendance: M. Allen, B. Allen, T. Blum, D. Cichowicz, M. Dillon, D. Falcone, P. Feden, M. McCoey, M. McGuinness, J. Mariscotti, M. Moreau, W. Price, M. Smith, L. Texter, J. Volpe, J. Welsh, D. Yost, B. Zetick

Excused: M. Balchunis, M. Dainton, F. Mosca

Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the meeting of September 22, 2009 were approved by a vote of 13-0-0.

Committee on Committees Report on review of committees and their charges: M. McCoey

Ms. McCoey advised that the Committee on Committees continues their review of University committees, including their charge and composition. The committee will be talking with chairs of committees, Faculty Senate representatives that sit on the committee, and Deans.

University Curriculum Committee Guest J. Pastis

Dr. Pastis distributed a report to the Senate, including the distribution of relevant documents, a brief history of the Senate initiative, problems to be addressed by the Senate, and the Committee agenda for 2009-10.

The Senate unanimously passed a resolution to send a letter to the provost reiterating the role of the University Curriculum Committee in regard to the core curriculum. The Senate also concurred on the need for a change in the University Handbook to reflect the current role and structure of the University Curriculum Committee. The Senate also requested that the charges of the three Curriculum Committees of the Schools be brought to the Senate for review.

Evaluation of On-Line Courses: M. McCoey

Ms. McCoey presented the Senate with issues related to the evaluation on on-line courses. There was no consensus reached regarding this issue.

Memorial Wall update: deferred

The meeting was adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by
Bonni H. Zetick, *Secretary*



Upcoming Home Games Nov. 6 – Nov. 14

Swimming and Diving @ Kirk Pool

Sat. 14 Delaware/Rider 1:00 p.m.

Volleyball @ Tom Gola Arena

Sat. 14 Duquesne 8:00 p.m.

Women's Basketball @ Tom Gola Arena

Fri. 6 Holy Family (Exhibition) 7:00 p.m.

Fri. 13 Loyola (MD) (Homecoming) 7:00 p.m.

Men's Basketball @ Tom Gola Arena

Sat. 7 Holy Family (Exhibition) 2:00 p.m.

Sat. 14 Hampton (Homecoming) 3:00 p.m.

GO EXPLORERS!

Homecoming 2009

Party Tent

Nov. 14 at 12 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

La Salle Tennis Courts



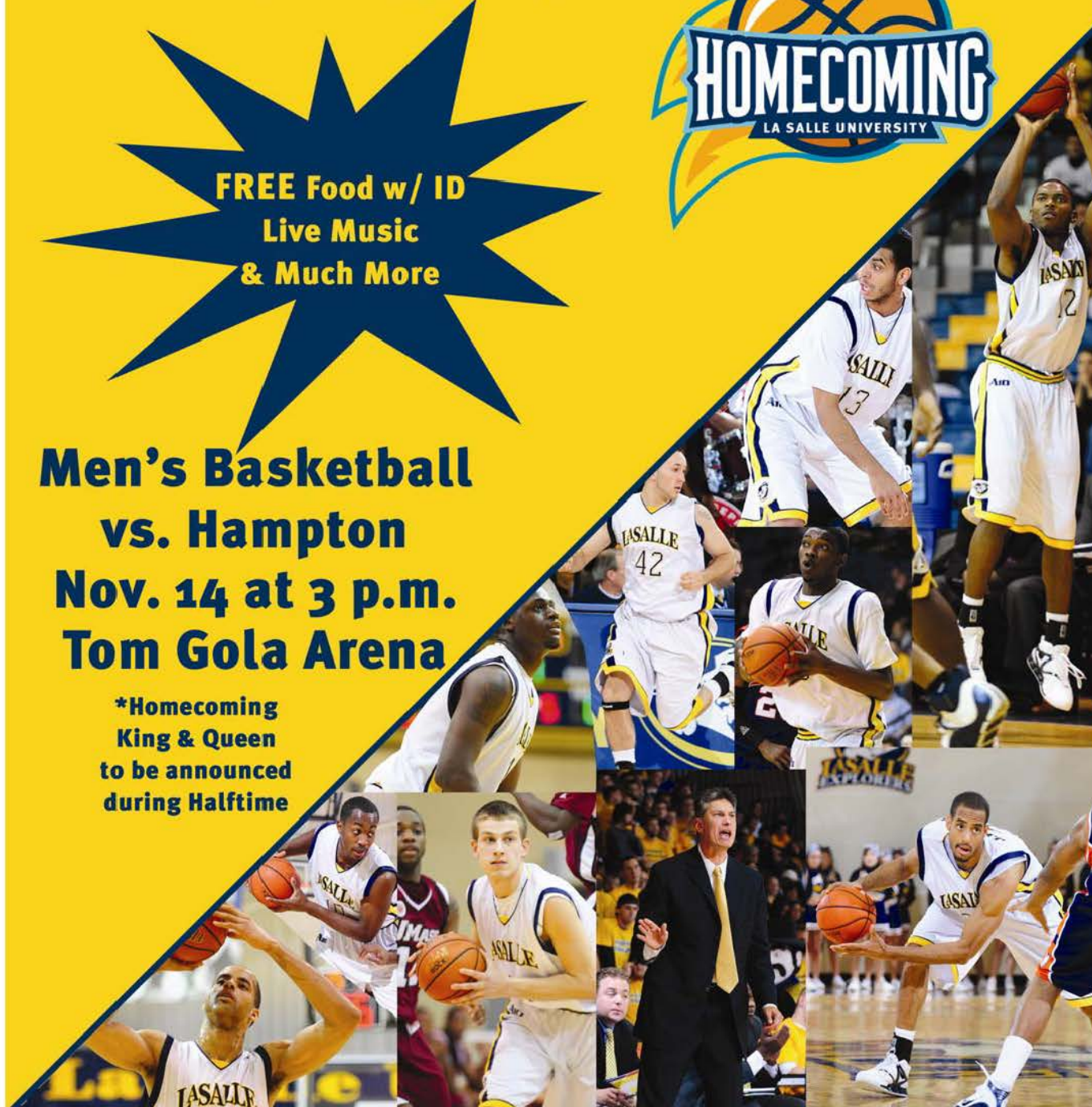
**FREE Food w/ ID
Live Music
& Much More**

**Men's Basketball
vs. Hampton**

Nov. 14 at 3 p.m.

Tom Gola Arena

***Homecoming
King & Queen
to be announced
during Halftime**



Employment**Assistant/ Associate Professor of Political Science, Tenure Track**

The La Salle University Department of Political Science is seeking candidates for a full time, tenure track, entry level position at the rank of Assistant or Associate Professor in the areas of Comparative Government and American Government for the start of the 2010-2011 academic year. Candidates must have a conferred Ph.D. in Political Science, a demonstrable promise of scholarship, and a commitment to excellence in undergraduate teaching. In the area of Comparative Government, candidates must have expertise in Western Europe/European Union and at least one other area of study, which could be Asia, Africa, South America or the Middle East. In the area of American Government, candidates must be prepared to teach the Introduction to American Federal Government (POL. 151) and one upper division course.

Qualifications:

Applications should include (1) a one page letter of application identifying areas of specialization, research/scholarship interests, and teaching philosophy, (2) a curriculum vita, (3) official graduate transcripts, and (4) three letters of recommendation sent under separate cover. Teaching experience is a plus. Examples of scholarship and/or summary evidence of teaching effectiveness, where available, may be submitted. Applications must be submitted by regular, priority or air mail and the department's review of applications will begin on January 11, 2010. Electronically submitted applications will not be accepted.

Submit your cover letter, vita, and other materials to the following:

Michael R. Dillon, Ph.D. J.D.
Chair, Department of Political Science
1800 W. Olney Ave.
Philadelphia, PA 19141
215.951.1000

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All employment listings must be submitted first to Human Resources for approval (for more information, contact Gregory O'Shea at 215.951.1354).

Deadlines for Submission

- General News, Meeting Minutes, Events, and Other News: **Wednesday at 4 p.m.**
- New Positions of Employment at La Salle University: **Monday at 2 p.m.**